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Walter Wellman says the President's special message to congress has swept away all opposition to the Panama canal treaty and its ratification is assured.

the United States senate. He doesn't something like \$10,000,000. seem to be at all afraid that it may be unlucky.

the new year.

Japan notifies the powers that the way for others.

Commercial statistics for the year 1903 show that our sales abroad now exceed our purchases abroad by onebalance of trade.

F. H. Doran, of Laporte, denies the report sent from Indianapolis to th effect that he will be a candidate before the next republican state convention for auditor of state. He says he lege. will shy his castor in the ring two years hence.

Prof. H. B. Brown, of Valparaiso Ind., who has been mentioned as democratic gubernatorial possibility, states that he had never thought of being a candidate. He expresses the belief that there will be no scarcity of good timber.

The monthly statement of the gov ernment receipts and expenditures shows the total receipts for December last to be about \$42,747,532, and the expenditures \$32,248,000 leaving surplus for the months of \$10,499,-532 The surplus for the six months \$8,433,667.

California fruit will soon be cater all over the globe. An experimental shipment was recently made to the Philippines, and, although the transit occupied five weeks, the fruit arrived in fine condition, and as Australian apples have been selling in Manilla for from 10 to 25 cents apiece, its advent was hailed with delight.

educated Indians soon after leaving school relapse to the "blanket" state is refuted by the report of the Hampton Institute. That school has grad- Department. uated 938 Indian boys and girls, 673 of whom are now living. The report shows the work of these alumni to be excellent in 141 cases; good in 333; air in 149: poor in 42; bad in

The great generals of the civil war. both north and south, are almost all dead. The death of General Longstreet leaves only one leading southern general living. Longstreet was one of the hardest fighters of the confederacy, but when the war was over he accepted the situation and for more than 38 years he had been one of the staunchest union men of the nation.

The report of the agricultural department of the government contains some very interesting and very valuable figures showing the enormous the United States. There are possibly some surprises. The production of corn is 21 billions of busbels while the winter wheat crop is only a little more than } of that, or six hundred millions of bushels. The total winter and spring wheat crop was 528,826,-\$35 bushels, and the total value of the crop is \$443,524,826. The total value of the corn crop is \$952,868,801, or a little more than double the total wheat crop. These figures are espec fally interesting to farmers who thin that the only probtable crop an really the king of bereals is who

The president did not wait for the senate to pass Senator Hoar's resolution calling for information regarding Panamaian affairs. He met it more than half way by an avalanche of information that more than meets the

Naval experts predict that in the event of war between Japan and Russia the latter will be overwhelmingly defeated on the sea. Stranger things have happened. The United States had no navy to speak of a century ago, but Great Britain came out second

Plain cold figures snow that Andrew Carnegie was the champion giver during the year 1903. The ironmaster has given away exactly \$21,795,500. On the 13th of this month the Ohio John D Rockefeller takes the second legislature will re-elect Mr. Hanna to prize, and is said to have given away

Walter Brown of Elkhart, republican state committeeman from the Carroll D. Wright, United States thirteenth district is to be placed uncommissioner of labor, declares the der arrest, charged with conspiracy tabor situation of the country is the in the wrecking of the Indiana Namost hopeful in industrial history and | tional Bank of Elkhart, according to a that there are no strikes in sight for dispatch from Washington received time of his death are estimated Tuesday night.

Present indications point to the ceased was 62 years old. situation in the far East is critical confirmation of General Leonard and that she is preparing for the Wood. Senator Foraker bas gone inworst. Two additional war ships are to the fight, and he made such a strong purchased and negotiatious are under showing in favor of Wood that the senate committee to which the ap pointment was referred decided in his favor by an unexpectedly decisive vote.

A movement is on foot among third, thus giving us a good bunch of Western Democra's to start a presithe much-talked-of and long-desired dential boom for Marshall Field, the merchant prince of Chicago. The claim is made that Mr. Field could carry Chicago by a majority of 50,000, and that this would assure him of the state Illinois in the electoral col-

> President Roosevelt's message on the Panama canal is to the effect that Colombia failed to keep her aggreement with the United States: that this government had nothing to do with the secession and formation of the republic of Panama, and no undue haste was used in recognizing the new republic; that the canal must be built by the United States; that there should be no delay in ratifying the treaty and beginning the work of con-

The Indianapolis Sentinel in an editorial on the duties of policemen and the use of liquors by policeman says: Emergencies, it must be remembered officers in the end. of the present fiscal year will be about | are not to be foreseen. They happen suddenly. Those called on to meet them require the full control of all their powers, mental as well as physi- is wrong. cal. This is something that a man even slightly under the influence of liquor does not possess. There is little sense in arguing as to when a man is drunk, and when sober, after he has commenced drinking. There is but one rule which can be adopted with safety and that is that the only The oft printed statement that perfectly sober man is the man who intoxicating liquor. This cannot be too strongly impressed on the men employed as patrolmen by the Police

Waiter Brown asks the convention

day to elect two delegates to the national convention and a presidential \$100 will be given the family of any stallation ceremony an oyster supper Titsworth, A. M; Alice F. Kazer elector for this district in addition to child under sixteen who meets death the chairman of the district committee. The state committee and County Chairman Boss call only for the election of a district chairman. Mr. Brown could just as well call for the election of delegates to the national convention of 1908 as for the national convention of 1904 that has not yet Gould, Morgan, Harriman and Hill, been called. He and two or three South Bend men, one of whom asserts that he can cast the vote of St. Joseph county in convention just as he wishes, seem to think it is the proper thing to deprive the people of any choice in selecting men to represent this distvalues of the various crops raised in rict. The convention can and should sit down very hard on the proposition of Brown and the South Bend ring to choose delegates to the national conrention now. When the convention neets we shall learn whether St. Joseph county has any delegates or whether one man can cast the 39 rotes as he pleases.

North Township Convention.

The Republicans of North Townhip will meet at Linkville on Saturday January 9, at 2 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of selecting precinct comlitteeman and one delegate to the strict convention. -By order of comRAIFSNYDER WAS WEALTHY.

Baggageman Killed in Collision Near Larwill, Was Worth \$100,000.

James Raifsnyder, the baggageman of the limited who was killed in the wreck at Larwill, was probably the wealthiest man in the train service on the western division of the Pennsyl vania line, says the Fort Wayne Jour- years. nal-Gazette. He was a baggageman before the civil war, and during the conflict he served in the Eleventh Indiana battery. After the war he sumed his former place and held it until his death. He was a thrifty, careful and invested his savings in real estate and successful business ventures. He owned a grocery in Cleveland and paid a man \$75 per month to manage it. He himself, however, always remained in th railroad service because he loved it and could never be induced to give it

His services were appreciated by the company and he was offered many promotions of greater responsibility, out be declined them all, preferring a situation of less responsibility and very profitable. His assets at the over \$100,000. He leaves a wife, two children and four brothers. The

K. F. Brooke's Work as Clerk

The term of K. F. Brooke as clerk f the circuit court expired Thursday, Dec. 31, 1903. Length of term, years and 2 months, received and expended over \$103,000,00, civil case filed 750, criminal cases filed 140 From the 140 criminal cases the clerk received on behalf of the county as erk's costs out \$30.95; marriage in censes issued 1.132, divorces granted 140. There were 2117 pages of civil order book entries, 943 pages of probate order book entries, about 4000 pages of complete record, 228 administrations of estates, 98 guardianships, 24 physician's licenses were granted, 87 executions and 43 fee bills were

Ex-Commissioner Jarrell.

as deputy sheriff, two terms a sheriff everything the administration has and nine years as county commissioner, done was justifiable, and that nothing retired from office Monday and is now a private citizen. In all those p.si. and close the episode by going ahead tions he was a good official. We some- with the construction of the Panama times criticised him, but always tried canal. The republicans were jubilto treat him fairly and gave him aut, and many democratic senators credit for the many good things he quietly expressed their satisfaction. did and he always took our objections good naturedly. He came into our office Monday paid for his paper in advance and thanked us for the treatment ac-

During the past twenty-five years we have always given our opinions freely on county matters, but have always retained the friendship of county

We believe that honest criticism will nine times out of ten be taken kindly. It is the duty of an editor to call attention to whatever he believes

Carnegie's Latest Gift.

Andrew Carnegie has found something to do with his money which men of the Carnegie company to bless him-if that feat is ever performed tery northwest of here. in our enlightened age.

He has set aside \$4,000,000 as a perpetual fund to aid those injured at day night. The following are the orheirs of men killed in the service of der, P. J. Trover; Lieut. Com., H. H.

day while idle, single men 75 cents a 2nd M G., J. Nickels; Sentioel, Shelly works his family will receive \$500 and and Ed Fulkerson. After the in. M; George D. Marks, W. P: Mae E white working. The Minneapolis time. Times says as a form of philanturopy this appeals more than libraries to the hearts of the people.

"Who Owns the Railways?" The question "Who Owns the Railways?" is pretty sure to suggest the the west came to the center and found but Slason Thompson contends in an article in The World that the owners are the Ametican people. He gives a series of general deductions from inquiries he has made as follows.

At least 80 per cent of the total oldings in American railways are neld in the United States. This would mean that not more than \$85, 000.000, or less than 5 per cent of the of the United States, goes to foreign investors, leaving \$1,684,447,408, or 95 per cent, to be divided in parts of forty and six y among American cap-

talists and American workmen. Five-eights of this goes to the one nillion railway stock and bond holders and the 1,189,315 employes, or, elimnating duplications, into at least two illion hands.

Estimating 5.24 persons to the in- 211. me, the figures of the census of 1900 t follows that 10,480,000 persons, or 13 per cent of the total population of the United States, share directly in the earnings of American railways. | cures. At any drug store.

James McCallum.

James McCallum, manager of the wegon works in the east part of the city, died at his home west of the wagon works this morning, aged 57

Mr. McCallum was the patentee of the steel wagon which bears his name. He came to Plymouth from Aurora Ill., as the manager of the company formed to manufacture wagons here last summer, but had been in il heaith almost ever since his arrival. His death was caused by pericarditis complicated with a tumor of the

sons grown to manhood and a niece in this city. Funeral services were held at the residence in this city Wednesday at : o'clock conducted by Rev. C. A Rrooke and the remains were in-

President's Special Message.

terred at Oak Hill

When Congress reassembled Monday, President Roosevelt sent in special message in which he made made several investments that proved strong plea for an isthmian canal and explained why the United States had recognized the independence of Pan-

In the Senate-nearly all of the states men remained in their seats during the hour and a half required for the reading and most of them followed the cierk by holding in their hands the printed copies which had been provided for their use. It was ob vious enough that the message made a profound impression upon the Senite. The republicans could not conceal their satisfaction. Occasionally they nodded one to another in approval and the whispered comments were all accompanied by smiles.

In a body like the Senate the essen tial manner in which a given state paper is received becomes quickly known, through conversation on the floor, talk in the cloak room and the lobbies. In an hour it was known to everyone who cared to make inquiry that the President's statement of the case had vastly strengthened Henry Jarrell who served two terms the claim of the republicans that now remains out to ratify the treaty

Lapaz Items. "

Mrs. Chas. Hill is on the sick list Coal is in great demand this kind of Johnson and Myers shipped a car

load of live stock one day last week. The new firm of Hullinger and Richard are getting along nicely for beginners.

Literary Friday night, come everybody and bring your sweetheart along.

A good program will be rendered. James Harvey Thornburg died at his home in Lapaz, Friday evening, Jan. 1, 1904, aged 68 years and 9 a. m. months. Funeral services were conducted at the Methodist church, Sunwill, or should, cause the steel work- day afternoon, by Rev. Strang. The remains were interred in Fair ceme-

The K: O. T. M. of this place held a public installation of officers Saturlicers for the ensuing year. Comman- necessary to the farmer. Tailman; R. K., Edward Cook; F. K., The manner in which the money is H. T. Shirk; Chaplain, A. F. Stilson, to be applied is as follows: Married Sergeant, Isaac Wener; M. A. A. men who are injured will receive \$1 a T. A. Vinnedge; 1st M. G., Ira Clark; past matron's jewel at the close of in day, children under sixteen 10 cents a Dowell: Picket. John Bechtel: Diday. If an employe is killed at the rectors, J. W. Berger, G. W. Schaal for 1904: Jennie E. Shambaugh, W

The "fox chase last week was an utter failure owing to the re-arrangements that were made by the officer and his gang. A day or two before Lauer, Ruth; Alice Boss, Esther; Etta the chase the place of meeting was changed and when the crawd from names of Rockefeller, Vanderbilt, no one else there they turned and served and a delightful time was had went home nearly an hour before the socially. rest came, thus leaving the west side open. The north and east crowds chased several foxes but the west side being open could not corner them. We consider this a "raw deal" to those who were innocent of the rearrangements.

A Card From County Treasurer O'Keele. PLYMOUTH, IND., JAN. 6, 1904. gross annual income of the railways To THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMIS-

> I hereby report to you the sum of \$1174.32 interest on public moneys collected from the banks for the year 1903, making the total amount of interest collected and paid into the ounty treasury \$2370.39 during the two years in which I have been treas erer of Marshall county, all of which pears in the auditor's ledger at page

WILLIAM O'KEEFE

Terrible plagues, those itchin pestering diseases of the skin. Put an and to misery, Doan's Ointment

******** MARRIED

Jones -Gerrard.

At the home of the bride, "ive mi'es east of Plymouth on Dec. 31st. 1903. at 3 p. m., Mr. Lewis Jones and Miss Nora E. Gerrard. About 45 invited guests were present to enjoy the event. Those from a distance were friends from Argos, Atwood, Tippecanoe and Plymouth. A fine lot of nandsome and valuable presents were given the bride and groom. A three course lunch was served, which gave credit to those in charge of that de partment.

The bride wore white mull, while stomach. He leaves a widow, two the groom was attired in the usua

All present were royally entertained and unanimously join in wishing these worthy young people a long and joyous life, Rev. Rittenhouse, of Bre men officiated.

The Advancement of Woman,

Miss Susan B. Anthony, in a preface which she has contributed to the tourth volume of "The History of Woman Suffrage," points out that everything except suffrage that was isked for in the platform of the firs woman's convention, held at Seneca Falls, N. Y., in 1848 has been granted That platform demanded that woman be granted the rights of personal freedom, to acquire an education, earn iving, claim her wages, own property make contracts, bring suit, testify in court, obtain a divorce for just cause, possess her children and be entitled to a fair share of accumulations during marriage. At that time none of th states granted many of these rights all the states concede them and have established them in law. The condi tion of woman today, compared with that of last year, seems unchanged, but contrasted with that of 50 years ago, it presents as great a revolution as the world has ever witnessed in this length of time." Miss Anthony confesses that, at the present time, a ma jority of her sex do not ask for suffrage, one reason being, as she as sumes, the large gains for women al ready accomplished.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Forty thousand wage-earners were given employment during the last two weeks by the resumption of iron and steel mills in the Pittsburgh district.

The eastern seaboard cities and large inland area have been for two days in the grip of the bitterest cold that has prevailed in many years. Transportation and communication are seriously crippled, and in New York and other cities the poor suffer

of Bremen, who has resided there all his life, died yesterday, aged almost 53 years. He had been in failing health for two or three years, but seriously ill only a short time. He leaves a widow and four children. Funera services will be held Saturday at 10:00

ferred against the common English sparrow, this time by Professor Dyche, of Kansas University. He says the sparrow delights in filth and carries disease germs; that it is an enemy of the fruit grower, scratches up garden seeds, and drives out birds that are

Eastern Star Officers.

Plymouth Chapter No. 26. O. E. S presented Mrs. Anna Bonham with a stallation of officers last evening.

The following officers were installed was served and all enjoyed a good Secy: Sallie F. Parks, Treasurer; Emma Rhodes, Con; Sarah Leonard A. Con: Eva Firestone, Mar: Susie Mat tingly Chap: Jennie Tanner, Organist: Laura Cleaveland, Adah: Jennie H. Thayer, Martha: Katherine Slater, Electa; Lula Redd, Warder; A. P. Elliott, Sentinel. Refreshments were

Assessors Gome in March.

The new law passed by the last legslature changes the date of beginning the assessment of property for taxation from the first day of April to one month earlier, so look out for the man with the tip box on March 1st. He is also given fifteen more days in which to complete the work. The legislature was good to him in another respect and increased his pay to \$2.50 a

List of Unclaimed Letters. The following letters remain uncalled for in the post office at Plymouth, Ind., for the week ending Jan. 7, 1904. GENTLEMEN.

LADIES.

Please say redvertised when calli for these letters.

A fee of one cent will be charged o

J. A. YOCKEY, P. M.

WRECK ON THE ROCK ISLAND

Two Trains in a Head-On Collision-Engineers and Firemen Killed Also

Some Passengers, Topeka, Kan, Jan. 6.-Rock Island passenger train No. 3 collided with peka about 1 o'clock this morning. En gineers Reardon and Leniamin were killed. Over a dozen passengers were fatally hurt. All the passenger coaches except the last two Pullmans were piled up in a heap. The two trains met T 32, L 1: \$900. squarely in a head-on collision. Assistant General Superintendent Sutherland | Sarah E Porter lot in Culver: \$275. said to the Associated Press:

"We have no positive information at this hour about the wreck other than sengers killed and injured, but we don't got from Willard was that many peo- q of sec 20, T 34, R 3; \$375. ple were yet under the wreckage and

alty list have not been received.

JURY WAS "PREJUDICED"

Says an Ohio Judge of the Fiend Knapp, and He Will Have a

New Trial. Hamilton, O., Jan. 6. - A. Knapp. principal ground on which the new trial was granted by the court alleged error in allowing Knapp's written confession of five murders to be Plymouth; \$968.66.

The court held that while that part of other crimes. The court said: "The \$3500. for privilege by statute. Now nearly confession of so many cold-blooded tiend or a maniac, and it could not fail to prejudice any person who heard it read."

PROMISED AN EXPLOSION

Blacksmith's Testimony in the Case of the Blowing Up of the Sun and

Georgetown, Colo., Jan. 6. - The the district court here. The only sensational testimony presented was that of A. H. Colburn, an Idaho Springs' sw q of sw q of Sec 20, T 32, R 2: \$500. blacksmith

He stated that J. E. Chandler, secretary of the Idaho Springs Miners' union, told him before the explosion opened with non-union miners he

"JOE" CANNON'S INDORSEMENT What He Thinks of an American Historic-

al Work as Started in His Own Hand. Washington, Jan. 6 .- In transmitting

payment by check to a publishing Chris Dietrich, a prominent citizen house for sixty volumes of an American historical work, Speaker Cannon made this indorsement on the back of

but the way your gentlemanly agent Renewed charges have been pre- came it over your 'Uncle Joseph' is

Burlington, Ia., Jan. 6 .- Fire origthe J. V. Ritchey Furniture company houses, entailing a los, of \$250,000; the very verge of consumption. insured for \$155,000.

National Fire Investigation. Chicago, Jan. 6 .- The Illinois Manufacturers' association has decided to Washington to make an investigation ducts named: into the loss of life and property by Wheat..... fire in the United States, and to recommend to congress what to do in thi

Just What Wall Street Expected. United States Steel common was passed at the quarterly meeting of the directors, but the regular one and three- Old Roosters quarters was declared on the preferred Turkeys-Hens ... stock. This was practically what Wall street expected.

Enion Pacific to Get the Alton, Chicago, Jan. 6. - The Post says 'Acording to reliable authority the Alton will be sold to the Union Pacific. Butter This was the object of the Kulm Lo-b circular asking for the deposit of stock to facilitate in the sale of the road."

Iowa Loses but \$300,000. Des Moines, Ia., Jan. 6.-Later exmination of the ruin on the state itol seems to indicate that the original estimates on the loss were too high. The state architect reduces his original estimate of \$500,000 to \$300.

Rev. Dwight Hillis Acts Ton New York, Jan. 6 .- The first annu Lake Forest university at Lake Forest. Ill., was held at the Hotel Mariof '84, acted as toastmaster.

Another Official Goes Wrong. Washington, Jan. 6.-Word has be ceived at the treasury department of the arrest of B. L. Peer, deputy su veyor of customs at Syracuse, N. Y. charged with embezzling \$1,200 of gov ment money.

Charged with a \$30,000 Forgery. St. Joseph, Mo., Jan. 6.—J. E. Marll, cashier of the Bank of High nds. Kan., has been arrested on Grand Island train at Troy, Ken. harged with forging notes aggrega

GRESSNER & GOMPANY

Owners of the only Abstract Books in he comy. Abstract of title to all lands in Marshall county complied promptly and accurately.

TOJANUARY 5, 1904.

John Klapp, to William and Lucinda Klapp, 3 a in ne q of se q of sec 3,

Lewis C Neidlinger and wife, to Harley A Logan and wife, to Ruth 8 Logan, lot 36, Enterprise add 19 Plymouth; \$1.00.

Maggie Johnson and husband. Q C D to Jacob Hess and wife, all int in know how many. The last report we sw q of ne q and in e hf of nw q of ne

Maggie Johnson and husband, Q C D to John Barts and wif e, all int in At this writing the number or the ne q of nw b and in w hf of nw q of ne q of sec 20, T 34, R 3; \$375.

Cenia Allman, widow of David R Alleman, QC D to Charles D and Harry E Allman, e hf of sw q ex cemetery, also e hf of n 30 a of w ht of ne q. ex 2 a in ne cor also w 20 a of S 120 a of se q ex s 18 rds all in sec 22, T 32, R 2; \$1500.

Susan J Shirk and husband to Christian W Killian, 74 a in w hf of sec 18, T 34, R 2: \$1600.

Willard A McNeil and wife, to Fred taken from the death house W Keller, se q of seq of sec 22, T 35,

Leonora A Kloepfer and husband, to Otls Patterson, Lot 64, Ewing's add

William A Sheets and wife, to Edwin Newton, s hf of nw q (except 6 acres in nw corner) also 4 a in nw cor of w hf of sw q of sec 32, T 32, R 3;

William H Huff and wife, to Anna Sdydaynoski, lot 6, Blk 11, Wm H Huff's 2nd add Bremen: \$125.

Mary E Uncapher and husband, to Sidney A and Annie Uncapher, e hf of ne q (ex R R) Sec 32, T 34, R 1;

Henry Trainor, to Edward Kauffman, 20 A off west end of n hf of ne q also lot 1, (except 3 A in nw cor) all in sec 6, T 34, R 3: \$2537.50. Mary A Drollinger and husband, to

Walter R Jarrell, 8 A in se q of sec 10, T 34, R 1; \$250

Elias Berger, to Andrew J A'Baire

Woman's Session of Farmers' Institute. The woman's session of the Farmer's Institute will be held at the M. E. church Thursday, January 14. (Chandler) would see to it that it was Mrs. Estes and Miss Erwin both state workers expect to be with us. A cordial invitation is extended to all to at-

> Let each housewife come prepared to give some practical suggestion in preparing wholesome dishes for the table and also to copy any suggestions they may wish for future reference. .

The church will be open during the noon hour so that all who desire may remain and lunch there.

LYDIA EVANS, President. GRACE ERWIN, Secretary.

House and Lot For Sale.

In Bollman's Addition Plymouth, large lot, eight room house, well and out house, barn, good location. Price reasonable, and will take cattle, sheep or horses as part pay. Address F JOHNSON, Teegarden, Ind.

"Little colds" neglected-thous ands of lives sacrificed every year. Dr. and Wyman & Rands Carpet com- Wood's Norway Pine Syrup cures litpany gutted half a block of business the colds—cures big colds too, down to

THE PLYMOUTH MARKETS

Following are the quotations of local dealers on the various pro-

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FOR SALE

Poland China Sows and Boars; Barred Plymouth Rock Cockrels nner of the New York alumni of and Pullets. Come and see them.

borough. Rev. N. Dwight Hillis, class JNO. A. McFARLIN

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